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Local Commitment & Consultation with Agencies

The Town of Greece is committed to adopting this Local Waterfront Revitalization Program (LWRP) as an official policy document and as an addendum to the Town's Master Plan. The Policies included in the LWRP will become adopted town policies. Several land use recommendations are included in the LWRP. Model implementing regulations are included as an attachment. The Town of Greece intends to adopt regulations in support of the LWRP as local ordinances, in a manner similar or equal to the attached models. The Town is also committed to implementing project recommendations of the Plan through direct funding or by identifying funding partnerships.

Development of the LWRP was undertaken under the direction of the Town of Greece Supervisor and the Town of Greece Town Board. The study was managed by the Town's planning staff.

Three working committees were appointed to actively participate in the preparation of the LWRP. An Advisory Committee was formed to provide overall direction for the study and two Focus Groups were formed to provide technical review and assistance in their respective planning areas (the Erie Canal Focus Group and the Lake Ontario Focus Group).

Town board members, staff, and local residents participated on the working committees. Over 15 meetings were held involving approximately 16 local representatives.

In addition to the working committees, a mailing list was prepared to include all of the local participants on the committees and all residents living within the study area. Two update newsletters were prepared and distributed to the mailing list. Two sets of public meetings were advertised in regional newspapers inviting the public and interested agencies to participate. The second public meeting presented draft recommendations of the Local Waterfront Revitalization Program.